

Federal Communications Commission Washington, D.C. 20554

December 12, 2012

Ms. Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary Federal Communications Commission 445 12th Street SW Washington, DC 20554

Re: Measuring Broadband America Program, GN Docket No. 12-264

Dear Ms. Dortch:

On December 12, 2012, representatives of broadband providers, public interest groups, companies, and other organizations met in person and via conference call with Commission staff to discuss the Commission's 2012 wireline broadband measurement and performance program, including progress on the analysis of data gathered in September 2012 and the schedule for release of the report based on that data.¹

Mr. Walter Johnston, Chief Electromagnetic Compatibility Division (EMCD) began the meeting commenting on the decision to delay the release of the report until January 2013. He explained that the release date would be announced on the mailing list with sufficient time for ISPs to review, as agreed at prior meetings.

Mr. Johnston introduced Thomas Gideon, New America Foundation, to present on M-Lab monitoring and event logging. Mr. Gideon answered brief questions after concluding the presentation but did not announce a date when new reporting tools would be available.

Participants suggested that following the release of the report in January 2013, the next-generation and fixed collaborative meetings be moved to a six-week recurring schedule. Mr. Johnston suggested that focus reports to be conducted in 2013 would be conducted outside of the September 2013 reporting period, and a focused report on in-home and WiFi performance other topics could be conveniently timed with the proposed revisions to the meeting schedule.

Staff stated that new schedulers for the 2013 meeting schedule for all Measuring Broadband America meetings would be announced soon on the newly agreed six-week schedule.

Sincerely,

Walter Johnston, Chief

Electromagnetic Compatibility Division/OET

A list of attendees and all documents circulated at the meeting are attached to this filing in GN Docket No. 12-264.

Attendees

| Name | Organization |
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Nancy Starcher AT&T
Tom Anschutz AT&T

Paul Jamieson Cablevision Systems Corporation

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